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A Few Detached Hotel Thoughts-Railroad Travel Illustrated-The Lovely Maides with the Voice and the Fresh been seen tripping gayly toward the de-Young Man with a Presence.

(Copyright, 1891, by Edgar W. Nye.1 STILL STARRING

IN THE LONE STAR STATE. Speaking of the stage, and the temptations and trials that beset it, I got a room at the hotel in Austin which, also self with great dignity, and everybody's nation of music and oratory which

DAVID DUDLEY FIELD.

United States, was born Feb. 13, 1805,

the laws. That has been his life work,

years of toil. His travels and political

He Received the Largest Fce.

prominent in the Presbyterian church.

Guglielmo Sanfelice di Acquavella,

who has for years been considered a can-

didate for the papal throne, was born in

1836. He was consecrated archbishop of

California's New Senator.

Charles N. Felton, the new senator

from California, was born in Erie county,

from the Fifth district from 1885 till

1889. He is a Republican, and an advocate of a currency based upon the single

not far from Madison square there are

stant's hesitation, replied, "Meringue pies and chocolate drops."—New York

Pete's Mother Asks a Question.

without ceremony, and after gazing

about until her eyes rested upon the

A woman walked into a public school

N. Y., in 1832,

and at the early

age of seventeen

ioined in the rush

fields. He fol-

lowed a business

career till he had acquired wealth,

then entered pol-

through the va-

rious grades, serv-

ities and rose

of '49 to the gold

David Dudley Field, who now takes precedence as the veteran jurist of the



cupy over an hour or so, and after that pense and perfumes a whole county at a ference with General Manager Sands he went away with the old lock, leaving a mathematician, and that year invented | turned it two or three times. They al- | trip a peculiarly ingenious theorem in geom- | ways do that, whether there is any lock | Yesterday, on the Houston and Shreveetry, which was published at once, and on the door or not. Even when the door port road, a man who had boarded the he was a civil engineer, then entered on pass key into the late keyhole, and rattle at window just as we were going through the life of a philosophic and political two or three pounds of brass key checks a sort of swamp and lost his hat off. It

> write or rest in his room seems very such a poor hat. morbid to most of them, and a man does have to be pretty well worn out in has to be obliging. It requires over order to stay contentedly in the average hotel room; but he does sometimes get where even a second hand grave with a lock on it would be welcome. But the room I refer to was an aggra-

vation in another way. I could not get inybody to come when I rang. People whom I did not care to see dropped in I had occupied what is called a "theatri-cal room," "We are annoyed very much," said a hotel clerk the other day, "by a certain kind of actor-the one John E. Parsons, of New York, is be-and who tries to manage the universe lieved to have received the largest fee between times. He generally plays the ever taken by a lawyer—\$400,000 from the sugar men for organizing the famous trust. He is a New Yorker, born and bred, and is believed to have the finest practice in the English speaking world.

Between times. He generally plays the part of the associate villain, or the deathbed, or the unsealed doom, or something like that, and at the hotel he appears as its first mortgagee. Well, we give him practice in the English speaking world. He is about sixty years of age and is but it does not connect with the office. It is attached to the coffee mill in the kitchen, so that when he imagines he is ringing his bell he is really grinding the coffee for breakfast. By some mistake you were supposed to be an actor—though any one who had ever seen you on the stage would know better than that-and so you were given the theatrical room.' And yet the death rate in Austin is very highly spoken of. In 1887 it was fourteen per thousand. In 1888 it was twelve to the housand, and in 1889 it was only ten. I iked Austin very much indeed. There is no malaria there, and the legislature is restricted by wholesome sanitary regulaions, so that Austin is a very healthful and handsome place. The capital building has a fame that is world wide. It is very handsome building, resembling the Capitol at Washington, but built of a beautiful chocolate colored stone in-

The latitude of Austin is the same as that of Jacksonville, Fla., and the climate is peculiarly copious even at this season of the year. I was told in Chicago that I would lose fifty pounds while traveling through Texas, as the hotels were exceedingly bad. I have gained eight pounds, and the weight of my excess baggage has also increased while here. I now feel like a new man. I am no longer afflicted with low spirits, dread of a violent death on the scaffold,

night sweats, constant craving for food, ringing in the ears, repugnance to work, The mocking bird is quite common in Austin. It is heard very often in the wild wood putting up a psean at early morn or set of sun. I heard one the good imitation of a guinea hen. It was

woods who could have surprised and de-In a large dry goods establishment | the vacant mind of the guinea hen.

each day for their orders. One of the and a receiver.

long since, and was surprised at the from under a magnolia tree, backs up to and the mustang wine of the Alam What particular kind of food do you son against a hotbox. Then as we pull complexion of the vaquero's daughter. have the greatest demand for here?" he out he goes back into the forest again inquired. The eaterer, without an in- to brood over his wrongs till the train comes again on the following day. It is an exciting life.

Along this line one occasionally sees the noble Choctaw associated with an Etruscan jag. The Indian and white man are quite different when sober, but in a neighboring town the other day exactly alike when drunk. Their aspirations, hopea, fears, passions and tend- the Biblical account of such longevity encies are the same then. The Choc- as Methuselah's." taws have a village near the line of this voice, "Pete, where is the key to the justly celebrated road. It is under the ly, "there were no doctors in those days." management of a chief, who attends to

PROGRAM OF COMMENCEMENT. murder. The law of the state does not pool with the Choctaw settlement. If one kills another in an unguarded mo- At Washington College This Week.

ment, the chief sends for the murderer The country is still quite unsettled chartered institute west of the Alle-along this line of railroad, and the priday a slight, girlish figure might have the highest positions of trust and pot as the train approached. She was honor. all dressed up and had a little prtman-The commencement exercises, a teau. Her figure was graceful and pe- which there are nearly a week, are altite. She dressed neatly, and her ways interesting and profitable. They

Sunday night, address to the Y. M.

Wednesday morning, 13th, oratorical

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he graduating class.

by Dr. J. M. Worrelds.

ines.—Roanoke Times.

though a very pleasant one, did not have eye was upon her. A fine looking trav- few places can claim, Following is an a very prompt service connected with it. eling man removed the curl papers from outline of the exercises for commence There was also no key to it, so whenever his mantache, and there was a general ment week, beginning Sunday, May I went out for an hour or two I had to sensation through the car. I was anx-pack my trunk and lock it. Then I had jous to hear her voice, for I am a crank 10, and continuing until Thursday the excitement of unpacking it again on that subject. No matter how beau- 14th inclusive: Sunday, May 10th at when I got back. In the afternoon I de- tiful a woman may be, with a harsh 10:30 a. m., Baccalaurate sermon by voice she is a disappointment. I, with Dr. J. M. Worrelds, of Danville Kenthe rest of the passengers, remained almost breathless waiting for her to speak. As the train slowly moved out of the depot she opened the window, looked out C. A. by Dr. Worreids Monday and harriedly, and with a little winning yet | Tuesday, examinations, Tuesday night "Oh, h-l! they have left them there trunks of mine." (This is an actual fact.) Then it was so still there that all you could hear was the quick, half drawn

pants of a colored man from Nagadochez.

Texas is a marvelous state, as I have had occasion to say before. There are sixteen kinds of climate and a million kinds of flora and fauna in this vast empire. Cotton grows in great abandance in almost all parts of the state, and at Galveston, figs, bananas, oranges and lemons are to be seen growing as naturally as potatoes. At Galveston the cleander is the natural hedge. Instead of having to carry this fragile Scandicided to take a siesta, so that my voice | navian down cellar every November in a would be nice and smooth for the even- large green tub, it is left out by the citiing. I put the bureau against the door, zen of Galveston just as the Michigan and, taking down my hair, was soon in a man does his thrashing machine, to burst open by a locksmith, who said that is now in full bloom. Also the cape Georgia railroad, arrived here vesterhe had come to put a new lock on the door and fit a key to it. This did not oc- just turns itself loose regardless of ex-

the door sjar while he got a new and more desirable lock. I fell asleep again and often for miles along the road the railroad, in reference, to changing the Herbert Spencer, whose great series of works on evolution and sociology is now and weary miles of railroad travel. Then fusely punctuated with stumps. I never nearly completed, was born in Derby came a bright young chambermaid with regretted more thoroughly my haste and April 27, 1820, and was a natural philosopher at the age of sixteen. He was also put her pass key into the door and my stump puller than I have on this

A. N. Hazen, Washington, D. C., says the Fa mous Red Flag Oil is a perfect family medicine and has no equal for rheumatism, neuraliz-spratus, cuts, burns and all bodily pain. Price excited much comment. For four years isn't locked they most generally sock a train about an hour before looked out writer. Since then his works are his on the outside. They do not knock—un-history. was quite awhile before he could get less they have peered through the keyhole and observed that the guest is dead.

Then they knock timidly, shrink and go away.

is my judge, the train stopped but the conductor refused to go back after the hat. The man who lost it had to go The chambermaid cannot understand back and get it himself. It was a miserwhy a great big man should desire to oc- able old felt hat, with a broad brim and cupy his room at the hotel during the an oily dado around the crown too. I United States for the present year will day time. That he should want to never saw a cannon ball train stop for 17, and as it will on this occasion be of

Business is poor on this road, and so it



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sir fame of an excellent town.

The 'bus man showed me where one of Parker's Medical and Surgical Instihis horses would have drowned on the tute, 151 North Spruce St., Nashville, main street if they had not rescued him Tenn. as his head went under for the third

Yesterday on board the train we enseen the traveler who comes into a car opening up of a box or some precious from the frying pan into the fire. To ointment of skunk's oil in a close room | put it mildly, mercurial and other makes you forget everything else but the ointment. Well, this youth was which are hardly less terious than actually telling in all seriousness that he had put up the night before at a contagions blood poison. In either hotel where there was no comb or brush | case the system is wrecked; and yet in his room, and he had to go down to there is no reason why humanity the common wash room to comb his hair, should continue to suffer. It is the But he will grow up and get married and have a family of his own, and occasionally, as he gets older, he will rememother morning that could give a very ber how he advertised his verdancy in a medicine is surely a specific. And it been a guinea hen, so far as the listener night in years to come when he recalls stroys the germs of the contagious disworks escaped for an hour or so in a ferer.

woods who could have surprised and delighted every one, but she had prostituted her talents to an ignoble end, and through the long hours seemed content to cluck and rattle with the monotonous and metallic clatter which characterizes the vacant mind of the guinea hen.

The railroads of Texas are very good, with two or three notable exceptions. They are so generally good that I will only refer to one of the exceptions. That is the narrow gauge road running from Houston to Shreveport, La. Here Houston to Shreveport, La. Here Houston to Shreveport, as the street in New York is called. The railroad from Houston to Shreveport has a roadbed, a right of way white flaunel panties; where the cactus welcomes to its fuzzy bosom the cultivated chappy in the thin white flaunel panties; where the toothabout 100 girls employed. They are with two or three notable exceptions, and you feel yourself getting conveneach allowed thirty minutes for lunch | They are so generally good that I will tional and pokey, and stiff and morbid, each allowed thirty minutes for lunch con, which they eat in relays, about twenty-five girls going down into the they can be a superfitted by the control of \$100,000.00 lunch room at a time. Some of the girls have their luncheons prepared at their homes, but a large majority of their homes, but a large majority of their rooms, but a large majority of the rooms, but a large majority of the rooms are rooms. 6,500.00 them patronize a caterer, who calls Shreveport has a roadbed, a right of way bosom the cultivated chappy in the thin white flannel panties; where the toothproprietors of the store chanced to When the train stops at a station a some jelly of the chapparel berry is ook into the caterer's baskets not slight, bronze, razor back hog comes out spread thick upon the bread of industry,

"No, Miss Amy," remarked young Dr. Paresis, "as a physician I cannot accept "Oh, I can," replied Miss Amy, sweet-

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> mineral poisonings have disadvantages BARGAINS IN REAL ESTATE

> > COAL AND IMBER LANDS.

good imitation of a guinea hen. It was so good that no one could tell the difference. So she might about as well have been a guinea hen, so far as the listener

public place, for he was really a good is also its office to cure mercurial and looking young fellow, and his cheeks other mineral poisoning. In short S.

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was concerned. We should learn from this to imitate only those who are worthy. Here was a sweet voiced songster of the woods who could have surprised and de-

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